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# REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY OR AGENT

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Sir.

I hereby sign on behalf of and apply to withdraw, <u>all</u> of the following persons and/or law firm as attorneys or agents for the above-identified application:

Donald R. Antonelli, Reg. No. 20,296; David T. Terry, Reg. No. 20,178; William I. Solomon, Reg. No. 28,565; Gregory E. Montone, Reg. No. 28,141; Ronald J. Shore, Reg. No. 28,577; Donald E. Stout, Reg. No. 26,422; Alan E. Schiavelli, Reg. No. 32,087; James N. Dresser, Reg. No. 22,973; Carl I. Brundidge; Reg. No. 29,621; and any and all other attorneys of Customer No. 020457, ANTONELLI, TERRY, STOUT & KRAUS, LLP 1300 North Seventeenth Street, Suite 1800, Arlington, Virginia 22209, telephone 703-312-6600, fax 703-312-6666.

The reason(s) for this request:

An office action dated July 29, 2005 is outstanding in this application with the shortened statutory period for response now expiring October 29, 2005.

Prior to receipt of the office action dated July 29, 2005, the undersigned attorney has attempted to contact one of the applicants and the client Anthony V. Pugliese III with regard to matters on behalf of the client, by both letter and voice mail messages and with no response being received to such communications. The office action of July 29, 2003, was forwarded by Federal Express on August 11, 2005 to his last known address:

Anthony Pugliese III
The Pugliese Company
Pineapple Groove Corporate Center
101 Peneapple Groove Way (NE 2 Ave)
Delray Beach, FL 33111-3703

and was delivered on August 15, 2005 and signed for by "L. Pugliese". The letter forwarding the office action requested a response within ten days of receipt of the letter and noting our intent to request withdrawal of our office from any of the client's cases pending before the US Patent and Trademark Office in the absence of a response. As of this date, no response has been received, and it is apparent that the client will not communicate with our office.

Accordingly, as I am signing on behalf of our law firm and all law firm personnel listed above, it is respectfully requested: that approval of the withdrawal be granted; that written notification of the approval be forwarded to the undersigned; and, that future correspondence (other than the approval communication) be mailed to applicant at the above-indicated address.

To the extent necessary, applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to the deposit account of Antonelli,

Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case: 954.35718VX3), and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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